### Policeman Engages In Morning Gun Fight With Two Negroes

"Feet, I am goin with you." very lkely was what two unidentified negroer said early Saturday when they were spied in Klondike, just off Jackson avenue by Patrolman Garneson. On he officer a command to hait both fied in hursein time. One turned after the officer had given chase a haif block and opened a running gun fight in which eight or ten shots were fired. Kore was hur!

None was hard.

The pairolinan intended to question the the as as to why they should be abroad at such an early hour. They were to fleet however, and distanced in the after we blocks sprinting. The officer reported that the one shot fired by a member of the team came from a nickel-plated revolver.

## The Lure Of

The Army

Yes you bet! I'm home again, after serving overseas, I thought I had sneugh of it. There were many more like me. We used to growl and strunde at the way they mide us drill, and solier when they put us through that ittle cootie mill.

I went to work when I returned, and ried to make things go, but found the wages that I carned were rather much too low. The more I carned the more it cost, and I can safely bet that I have never found a job that beats the army yet.

I've just been out about a year, and every cent 've made. I've had to pay for clothes and board, and not a penny saved. But never mind, I'm going back within the ranks once more, and go to school and learn a trade, I could not do oefore.

The army that I served in, while I labored overseas, was full of drills and battles, and you never stood at ease. But now the peacetime soldier lad has everything to gain, so that's the reason I'll re-up, and try it once again.—Sergt. Joseph F. Maher, G. S. I.

### PLAN BRANCH OF COTTON ASSOCIATION AT GRENADA

GRENADA, Miss., Sept. 4. (Spl.)—A meeting of farmers and business men of Grenada county has been called for this afternoon at the courthouse in Grenada to form an organization for the betterment of conditions for the marketing of cotton. P. H. Eager, an accredited representative of the Mississippi division of the American Cotton association, will address the gathering.

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The American Cotton association is legally chartered and its purpose is to promote and, protect the interests of the cetton growers throughout the cotton producing states in this country. Its membership is made up of cotton growers, merchants, bankers and all yrofessional and allied interests which dealre to aid in making successful the shjeets and purposes of the association.

Mr. Eager is thoroughly familiar with all aspects of cotton marketing.

## Wells Pays Last Visit To Coppers

G. Daye Wells, who next week en-ers the county assessor's office, Satur-lay paid what probably will be his last risit to police headquarters for some rears, at least, as city paymaster. He brought checks to the day relief for August pay.

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Wells Friday night Issued checks to Wells Friday night issued checks to the night relief.
County court elects the successor to the late W. T. Condon Monday. Wells was elected assessor to succeed Conlor in the August elections. He would ordinarily have taken office Jan. 1, but when Condon died, several weeks ago, Wells first came in for consideration as candidate to full the unexpired term. He will be named Monday.

### GIBSON COUNTY TO HAVE SHOW AT MEMPHIS FAIR

TRENTON. Tenn., Sept. 4. (Spl.)—Miss Elise Catron, county demonstrator, in making arrangements to have a Gibson county exhibit at the Tri-State fair in Memphis Sept. 25 to Oct. 2. Miss Catron is urging some of the most progressive farmers and housewives to prepare exhibits of corn, cotton, vegetables, fruit and grasses. In the home economics department specimens of jellies, canned goods and preserves will be exhibited. In the art department plain and fancy sewing will be shown.

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## DEPUTY WHO KILLED POLICE CHIEF IN JAIL

CHATTANOOGA. Tenn., Sept 4.—
William Reynolds, deputy sheriff of
McMinn county, charged with killing
Chief of Police S. A. Jenkins, of Athens, early Sunday morning, has been
brought to jail here for safe keeping.
Jenkins was killed while lying in
wait for a whisky runner, but the
cause of the affray is shrouded in mystery, neither Reynolds nor Charles McCann, the only eye-witness, having
cleared up the trouble. McCann is in
prison at Athens.

## MOVIE CAR PLANNED.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala. Sept. 4—A specially prepared theater car will be placed on the Atlanta, Birmingham & Atlantic railroad between Birmingham and Talladers Monday and Tuesday of next week, in which moving pictures designed to aid in the proposed Mobile port improvement arendment to the state constitution will be exhibited.

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DEATHS.

John Thomas, age 50, rear 159 Mc-Lemore, Sept. 3; uremic coma. Elnora Scott, age 2 months. General hospital, Sept. 2; malnutrition. Fannie Boddie, age 46, 22s Cambridge Aug. 30; malarial fever. Estella Toles, age 33, 349 Texas, Aug. 31; septicemia. el, septicemia.
Vernon V. Carr. age 8, General hospital, Sept. 1; tetanus.
Hattle Wilson, age 38, General hospital, Aug. 31; fibroma of uterus; peritonitis.

## Burlesque Queen Sings To Judge

NEW YORK, Sept. 4.—The prima donna of an uptown burlesque show sang "Come to My Arms and Kiss Me" to Magistrate Simms, in the Harlem court yesterday.

Harlem court yesterday.

Whereupon he, without hesitation, fined 19-year-old Charles Soicher \$3 for climbing over theater footlights to answer the same call of the same singer last Monday.

Soicher, charged with disorderly conduct following an "explosion of emotion" when he mounted the stage from his first row seat after the song had been sung "at him," declared he could not resist the appeal,

Magistrate Simms decided first hand information was best, and de-creed that "Come to My Arms and Kiss Me" be rendered in court.

### WILLIAMSON DISCUSSES CIVIC AFFAIRS AT CLUB

In his talk before members of the Civitan club Friday, Dr. C. H. Williamson, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, stated that civic clubs of all kinds were more beneficial to the community than most people think. He suggested that meeting places for citizens be previded so that public discussions on matters of civic interest can be held as often as desired.

Dr. Williamson also told of the necessity of voters forgetting partisan politics and going in for the fundamental principles of government. He stated that after spending the greater part of a week in travel, he is heartily in favor of the development of aerial transportation.

Commissioner Shannon has been invited to address the meeting next week. At Friday's meeting Rev. C. H. Blaisdell, of the Calvary Episcopal church, was elected a member. It is announced that the club baseball team will continue its practice.

### BIRMINGHAM WOMEN TO STAGE VICTORY PARADE

BIRMINGHAM. Ala., Sept. 4.—With 8,000 women registered final details were completed today for a victory parade of newly made voters.

The offices of the county registrar was besieged all day yesterday and remained open until midnight to accommodate the throngs of women who joned the Jefferson county electorate. Female registrants far outnumbered the men and the latter had difficulty in working their way through to the clerks' desks. clerks desks.

The parade was to start at 4 o'clock this afternoon, ending with a mass meeting in the city park.

INQUESTS FORBIDDEN.

DUBLIN, Sept. 4.—Inquests by cor-cers have been prohibited in the coun-ties of Cork, Clare, Galway, Kerry, Limerick, Longford, Lough, Mayo, Rea-common and Tipperary, according to the Gazette. Functions of these officials will be performed by courts of inquiry operating under the army act, the news-paper says.)

## GIBSON FARMERS TO ATTEND JACKSON MEET

TRENTON, Tenn. Sept. 4. (Spl.)—
The progressive farmers of Glbsoncounty are planning to attend the Farmers institute, which meets at Jackson,
Tenn. Sept. 8 and 9.
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interested in improved methods of farming and are constantly taking advantage
of every opportunity to learn more of every opportunity to learn nabout the farm and its advantages

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## KNIGHTS INVITED TO SUB-MU-LOC PICNIC

Members of the Knights of Columbu nd their families have been invited to the Sub-Mu-Loc picnic to be held on Monday on Sub-Mu-Loc Island, 40 miles up the Mississippi river. The steamer Princess has been chartered for the occasion and will leave the local wharf at 8 a.m., returning at

MEXICO CITY, Sept. 4.—Representatives of oil companies have agreed to conduct petroleum operations in federal zones according to regulations approved during the Carrana administration, according to newspapers here. In return, their rights to certain wells have been approved by the government, it was said.

p.m.

Original arrangements called for a picnic for members only, but when the Princess was secured it was decided to ask K. of C. members to join. Becaute the control of the said of the sai

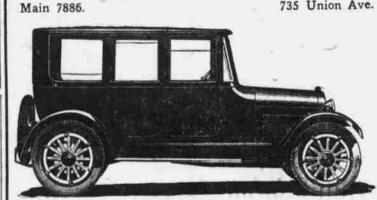


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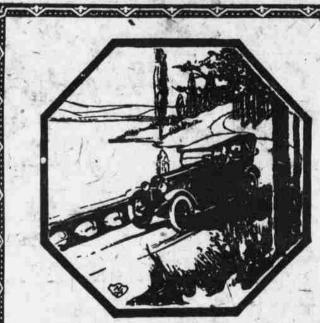
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